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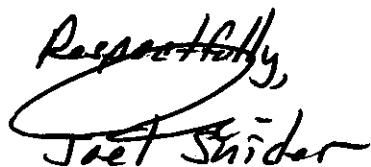
Re: Snider v. Mother, No. 4:13-cv-1226 (M.D. Pa.):

Magistrate Judge Susan Schwab:

I am the plaintiff in Snider v. Mother, No. 4:13-cv-1226 (M.D. Pa.). Thank you for appointing and locating Counsel in this case. In the event that Attorney Morgan-Kurtz and I should have disputes which are unable to be resolved between us, because she is appointed by the Court, is there some mitigation process available for us to resolve those disputes?

Also, I would like to express to the Court that the Pennsylvania Department of Corrections has implemented a new mail policy

which renders confidential communication with an attorney completely impossible via mail. Further in the past year since arriving at SCI - Somerset the administration has refused to allow me to have confidential calls with an attorney for more than 15 minutes. Attorney Morgan-Kurtz has stated to me that she has been notified by Somerset administrators that calls by attorneys are not allowed under any circumstances. When attorney Morgan-Kurtz attempted to visit back in August of this year she was turned away by prison officials who claimed she was setting off the metal detector when in reality she reports not to have had anything metal on her body. These kinds of issues create an impediment to the ability of Attorney Morgan-Kurtz and I to communicate and likely have already caused injury to my claims in this case.

Respectfully,

Janet Snider



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